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SACRAMENTO AREA COMMUNITY WOMEN'S NETWORK

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Latest Developments From Our New Steering Committee

We have quite a few new people who want to become part of our SACWN Steering Committee. We have some wonderful folks who are bringing some very strong skills to our table. We are all grateful that they are willing to volunteer their time and talents to our team. Each person has indicated how they want to help SACWN grow. I've listed that information here.

My Life and SACWN

* Dee ~ SACWN is a key "Foundation" organization in Sacramento for our children.
* Sharon ~ Continue working on the website and newsletter, and help out with other activities.
* Bonnie ~ Helping LGBT organizations thrive as needed.
* De' ~ Socialization and pleasure of being with people who like to organize
* Betsy ~ Help with the website & newsletter as asked.
* Nadia ~ Be our social butterfly and social center for us - go together and plan together
* Cindy ~ Keep doing the financials and database and give to the community in time and effort as needed.
* Nan ~ Provide a safe environment and fun events for the community.

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We are being challenged by world events, by the tides of history, to develop a more mature consciousness. Yet we cannot do that without facing what hurts.

Life is not a piece of tragic fiction, in which at the end of the reading we all get up and go out for drinks.

All of us are actors in a great unfolding drama, and until we dig deep, there will be no great performances. How each of us carries out our role will affect the end of the play."

--- Marianne Williamson (Mega Best Selling International Author) From her book, *The Gift of Change.*

THE SACWN MISSION
SACWN needs a new mission statement that is in syncrony with the 21st Century. Be one of the new leaders to help make that decision.

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(open)

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(open)

TREASURER
Cindy

CHARITY ADVISOR

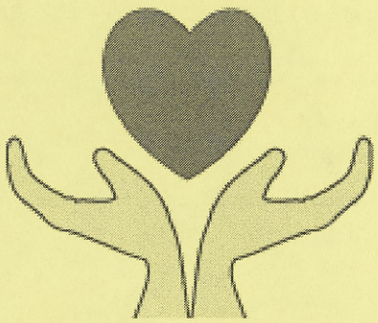
LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

MARKETING/ SPECIAL PROJECTS
(open)

EVENT COORDINATOR
Nan

Thinking about becoming part of SACWN?

Ready to cheer on our new SACWN?

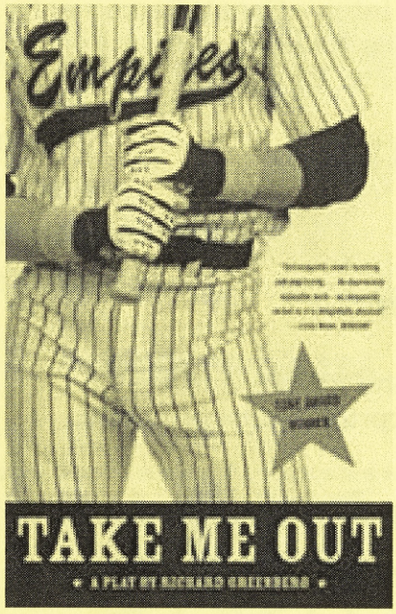


Join together and support the heart of SACWN.

Invitation to SACWN General Meeting

These meetings are discontinued until a new SACWN Steering Committee has stepped forward to implement the new plan for SACWN.

Happenings in the Community



Lambda Players Theater

"Take Me Out"

The Tony-award winning play about a baseball team dealing with the coming-out of one of their star players. It's been a hit everywhere it's played, we know you'll love it. If not for the struggles of the characters involved, then maybe for the seven naked ball-players showering on stage. The show will also kick off our "Hot Summer Nights" Program.

The story centers on the superstar of the New York Empires (who any real fan will recognize as the Yankees), Darren Lemming who has signed a $106 million contract, and admitted to the media that he is gay. Homosexuality is something that for the largest part has been kept in baseball's closets, but this brash ballplayer who is above so much, feels he needs to tell the media and the world so that he can be true to himself.

SACRAMENTO'S WOMEN'S TACKLE FOOTBALL TEAM

2006 Season Schedule*

Jun. 3 @California Quake TBD Away

June 10 Redding Rage 6:00 p.m. Home Fan Appreciation Day

Jun. 17 @Seattle Majestics TBD Away

POST SEASON

Jul. 8 Playoff Game #1

Jul. 15 Playoff Game #2

Jul. 29 Championship Game 6:00 p.m. Long Beach

*All home games are on Saturday and are designated in bold type. They will be played at Foothill High School: 5000 McCloud Dr., Sacramento 95842

**John F. Kennedy High School: 6715 Gloria Drive, Sacramento 95831

Please check SacramentoSirens.com for the latest schedule updates.

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Lavender Library

For more information about all their upcoming films, go to the Lavender Library site: http://www.lavenderlibrary.org/

Sacramento Pride

Friday, June 9--6 PM - 8:30 PM

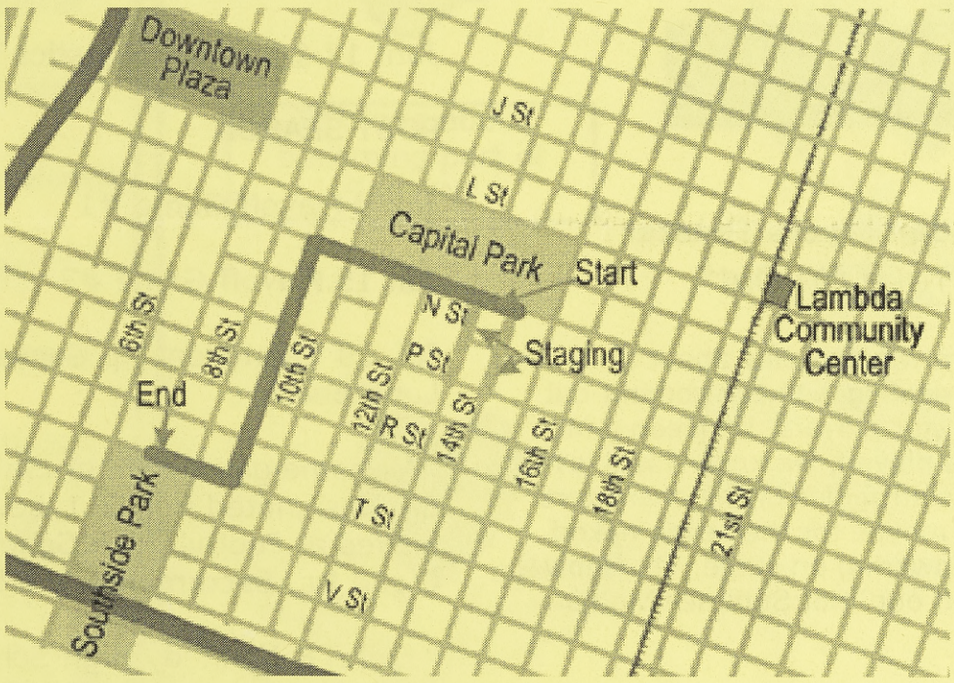
VIP Reception, Mr/Miss Sacramento Pride and Mr. Gay International, Sacramento
Come and Meet the Contestants at this Mixer.
At the Lambda Community Center, 1927 L. Street

Saturday, June 10--10 - 12 PM

Sacramento Pride Parade
(See the map for the route)

Sacramento Pride Fair
10 - 6 PM

Southside Park, Entrances at 6th St. and T and 8th St. and T
For photos of previous Pride Fairs go to: www.sacpride.net/photos.htm



Here is a quote from Marco Flores, the Director of this year's Sacramento Pride Event:

Sacramento Pride is the oldest LGBTI pride event in Sacramento. This year is the 22nd annual fair and is the primary source of income for the Lambda Community Fund which operates the Lambda Community Center. All money raised at Sac Pride goes to support the fund for the following year. This allows us to provide resources and programs to the community.

We will again have roving entertainment with mimes and clowns with balloons, a game midway and action rides, and three entertainment stages. We encourage everyone in the community to become involved in this year's Fair.

Pride is all about community and we want to see you there! Together, we can "Build Our Community" and make this year's Sacrament Pride the biggest and best event ever!

Groups In Our Community +

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Want to know what else is happening in the area?

Check out these groups.

If the Shoe Fits (ITSF): An organization in the Placerville/El Dorado area that is very active. They have a monthly newsletter with their latest activities. E-mail - itsfnews@hotmail.com or PO Box 295, El Dorado, CA 95623.

River City Bowlers: Sacramento's only Gay and Lesbian Bowling League Contact person is Tom Lane - 916-635-1535.

Camping Women: This group is built on the premise that women share equally the joys, privileges and responsibilities of the outdoor experience and thereby realize their own potential and ability to live comfortably in the out-of-doors. The National office web site is: www.campingwomen.org
For local information e-mail Sharon: shtaylor@dfg.ca.gov

Check out Tina's Uptown Studios: She has all the latest activities going on in the area. You name it and she has it listed. Get her weekly E-mail blast right to your computer ready for you to read and enjoy.

http://www.uptownstudios.net

RESPECT sacramento
creating safe schools for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people

Respect Sacramento is a local grass roots organization dedicated to creating safe schools for all sexual minority people in Sacramento area schools. We work to advance the rights and safety of all persons in K-12 schools, regardless of real or perceived sexual orientation or gender identity or expression.

We meet on the second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 at the Lambda Community Center, 1927 L Street
Join us for our next Respect meeting:
Wednesday, June 14,
6:30 PM

Please join us for our next meeting. We'll be discussing our ongoing work with area youth and school districts on training staff about LGBT issues and we'll be planning upcoming events. Do you have a topic of concern you would like to bring up? You are welcome to join us; if we don't talk about it... speak right up!

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Bunco Group

Interested in being part of a lesbian Bunco group that meets once a month? We will need 12 women and a few women willing to substitute. For details, please call Paula at 967-0560.

SACWN - Membership Application

Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

(Circle One): NEW RENEWING

CATEGORIES/RATES:

(Check One): __ Regular $24.00 __ Sustaining $48.00 __ Limited Income $12.00
Rates are per household, per year. You will receive a renewal notice when your subscription is running out.

_____I/we would like to receive the newsletter electronically.

E-mail Address: _____ *(if different from above)*

Waiver: I am aware that certain risks or injuries could occur arising from my participation in SACWN, Inc. events and/or special interest groups. In consideration of the right to participate in such events, some of which may involve strenuous activity (i.e. hiking, golfing, skiing, cycling, etc.) I hereby assume all risks and will hold SACWN, Inc. and its members harmless from all liability which may arise in connection with these activities.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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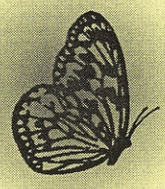

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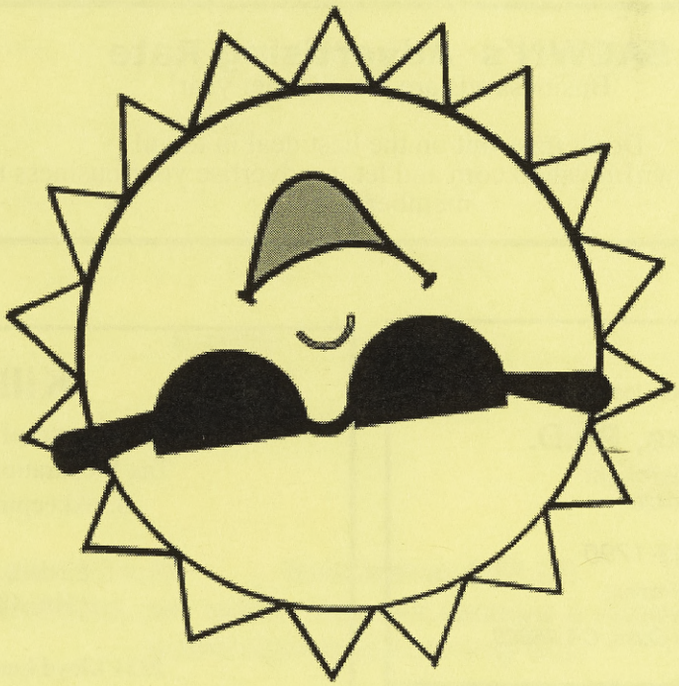

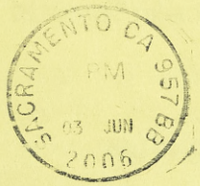

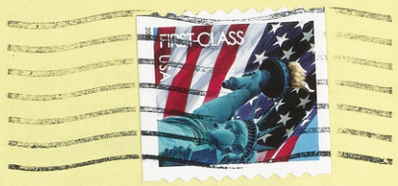

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